

Trade Assurance Scheme for Combinable Crops (TASCC)

Application Form

Please complete and return to Kiwa Agri Food, The Inspire, Hornbeam Square West, Harrogate HG2 8PA

Company Name	Contact Name	
Company Address	Tel	
	Fax	
	Mobile	
	Email	
VAT Number :	Company No:	
Inspection site address (if different from above)		
		Post Code:
Tick all that apply		
Commercial Haulage of Combinable Crops	(Please fill in pages 1 & 3)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Commercial Haulage of Animal Feed Materials	(Please fill in pages 1 & 3)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Commercial Haulage of Compound Animal Feeding stuffs	(Please fill in pages 1 & 3)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Commercial Storage and Contractual Testing of Combinable Crops – See 1 st paragraph in Testing CoP for definition of Contractual Testing	(Please fill in page 1 & 2)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Commercial Storage and Guidance Only Testing of Combinable Crops	(Please fill in page 1 & 2)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Commercial Storage of Animal Feed Materials	(Please fill in page 1 & 2)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Commercial Seed Plant Operation (screenings sold as animal feed materials)	(Please fill in page 1 & 2)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Commercial Pulse Cleaning Operation (screenings sold as animal feed materials)	(Please fill in page 1 & 2)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Third Party Commercial Testing of Combinable Crops	(Please fill in page 1 & 2)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Merchandising of Bulk Combinable Crops	(Please fill in page 1 & 2)	<input type="checkbox"/>
Responsible for loading/uploading vessels	(Please fill in page 1 & 2)	<input type="checkbox"/>
HAULAGE ONLY - Is there a time of day that will be most convenient? The inspector will need to inspect a trailer/rigid vehicle. It is Important to note that the inspector will need to see detailed records of your trailer/rigid vehicle history/previous use. (See attached Exclusion List)		

I wish to apply for certification for the following TASCC Codes of Practice:

- Haulage
 Storage
 Test Facilities
 Merchant

When ticking haulage please make sure you enclose the relevant paperwork stated on page 3 otherwise a quotation cannot be sent

We expect you to be familiar with the relevant code(s) of practice (www.agindustries.org.uk)

I expect to be ready for my Inspection during (month/year)

Existing Approvals - Please list current approvals.....

Certification Bodies.....

Reasons for choosing/remaining with Kiwa Agri Food (please circle)

Marketing, Referral, Quality, Speed, Price, Customer Demand, Google Search

Does your organisation have a Modern Slavery Policy in place Y/N

Does your organisation have a Anti Bribery Policy in place Y/N



Storage

Nominal Capacity (Tonnes)			
Annual Throughput (Tonnes)			
Facilities involved in the storage of combinable crops:			
Number	Flat	Silos	3rd Party Stores
0			
1			
2-4			
5-10			
11+			
Please supply full details of all 3rd party stores (on a separate sheet)			

Drier	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Conditioner	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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Test Facility

Indicate which tests are carried out and whether by own equipment or subcontracted lab:

Detail	Own Test	Sub-Contractor

Merchant

Number of sites	
Total number of staff	
Please list individual site addresses on separate sheet.	

I have filled in the application and I understand that payment of all fees must be made once invoices have been received before an appointment will be made.

Signed _____ Position _____ Date _____

Haulage

Total No. Vehicles on Operator Licence			
Total No Vehicles to become TASCSC Registered		(if more than 7 please list on a separate sheet)	
Number of drivers			
Trailer ID / Rigid Reg	Chassis Number	Trailer/Vehicle Type	Date First Used

Does the business also run a non-TASCSC bulk fleet? (i.e. carrying exclusion list materials) Yes No

Number of Non TASCSC Vehicles	
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Does the business use subcontractors for TASCSC materials? Yes No

If yes, approximately how many?

D6 Requirement
<p>If the haulier proposes to use second hand rigid vehicles or trailers for carrying any goods covered by this code he must comply with the requirements for a new vehicle, and in addition a history of the previous use must be obtained. The previous history should, as a minimum, detail the previous vehicle operator with a signed declaration from that operator that no materials on AIC's current Exclusion List (Appendix 1- Attached) have been carried.</p>

Please provide a vehicle Inventory and the following information for as listed below failure to do so will mean a quotation cannot be sent

New Vehicles

- Purchase order/invoice or something similar to show it's new
- If already been used by your company from new a signed declaration to say whether or not it has carried anything from the AIC exclusion list (see separate sheet) and details of the last 3 loads

Second hand Vehicles

- Signed declaration from yourselves to say whether or not it has carried anything from the AIC exclusion list (see page 4)
- As a minimum a signed declaration from previous operator to say whether or not it has carried anything from the AIC exclusion list (see separate sheet)- we cannot accept a declaration from the dealer/garage

ALL HAULAGE APPLICANTS MUST ALSO PROVIDE A COPY OF YOUR OPERATOR'S LICENCE

<p>I have read and completed the application and enclosed all relevant information as ticked above including copy of our vehicle inventory. I confirm that the vehicles/trailers which are proposed for operation under the TASCSC Scheme have not carried materials on the TASCSC Exclusion List. (See page 4) I understand that payment of all fees must be made once invoices have been received before an appointment will be made.</p> <p>Signed _____ Position _____ Date _____</p>
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APPENDIX 1

AIC Exclusion List

If a TASCSC participant has any doubts over an unfamiliar product before transporting or storing, they must obtain a Product Specification Sheet and contact AIC for further clarification. The following must not be carried.

1 BULK CARRYING VEHICLES (TIPPERS, TANKERS, MOVING FLOOR, BELT BULKERS, RIGIDS AND TRAILERS ETC)

Product category	Further information
Category 1 and 2 animal by-products	Processed and unprocessed animal by products including animal fats and oils
Unprocessed Category 3 animal by-products	
Category 3 Processed animal proteins Before transporting any Category 3 Processed Animal proteins, TASCSC participants are advised to check legal and customer requirements.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • processed animal protein (except milk, milk-based products, milk-derived products, colostrum and colostrum products, eggs and egg products); • collagen and gelatine of ruminant origin; • blood products (except those derived from non-ruminants for feeding to farmed non-ruminants in accordance with Regulation No EU 999/2001 as amended); • hydrolysed protein of animal origin (except hydrolysed proteins derived from parts of non-ruminants, or ruminant hides and skins); • dicalcium phosphate and tricalcium phosphate of animal origin (except those derived from non-ruminants for feeding to farmed non-ruminants in accordance with Regulation No EU 999/2001 as amended);
Used cooking oils from catering premises	
All wastes obtained from the various phases of the urban, domestic and industrial waste water treatment process,	irrespective of any further processing of these wastes and also irrespective of the origin of the waste waters unsuitable for human consumption for reasons of freshness.
Animal & poultry wastes	
Asbestos	or materials containing asbestos

Bituminous products – this and other products not responsive to normal detergent cleaning	e.g. tar chips, tarmac planings, felts
Cereal & other seeds treated with toxic dressing	
Glass	(including cullet) and products thereof
Hide treated with tanning substances	including its waste
Livestock including poultry	also including their carcasses
Mammalian protein	<p>Including any feed containing these materials e.g.</p> <p>(a) mammalian protein (including greaves), other than processed animal protein (see below), derived from the whole or part of any dead mammal by the process of rendering; or</p> <p>(b) any material derived from mammalian protein, and for this purpose “protein” means any proteinaceous material which is derived from a carcass but does not include milk or other milk products.</p>
Manures, litter and composts (including Green Waste)	<p>AIC Code of Practice for Deep Cleaning of Road Haulage Vehicles – if you want to use the above protocol contact AIC and/or the Certification Body before undertaking any work.</p> <p>Bulk tipping vehicles which have carried manures, litters or composts but no other Exclusion List materials may be eligible to re-enter the TASCC Scheme by cleaning in accordance with the above code of practice. For more details see the TASCC Standard on the AIC website AIC TASCC - Trade Assurance Scheme for Combinable Crops (agindustries.org.uk), or contact the Certification Body.</p>
Anaerobic Digestion Plant	Including digestate and on-site feed stock
Mineral clays	Which have been used for detoxification purposes
Old tyres	Including shredded tyres
Petroleum based coke	“Petcokes”
Pharmaceutical waste	
Radio-active materials	

Recycled/used aggregates and sand	Under the prefix “Eco” – could be, for example, crushed glass or tarmac planings or used equine sand from livery yards or any other products detrimental to food/feed safety.
Refuse Derived Fuels (RDF)	Fuel produced from combustible components that the industry calls Municipal Solid Waste (MSW).
Scrap metal	Including fragmented metal
Solid urban waste	Such as household waste, including products processed from this material
Toxic & corrosive materials	And any packaging used for these materials or any materials (e.g. timber) treated with these products
Untreated waste from eating places	Except certain food stuffs of vegetable origin considered. Check with AIC or the Certification Body for clarification before commitment.

Many products now are of a recycled nature (or pre-fixed “Eco” or “Green”) (e.g. recycled aggregates which can contain bitumen, scrap metal and glass) so ensure that a product data sheet is obtained and, if in doubt, contact AIC or the Certification Body for clarification.

Generic terms (e.g. biomass, fertiliser and ash) should not be used and descriptions should be as detailed as is necessary to accurately identify the product.

Further details can be found from the IDTF website: [You searched for - International Database Transport \(for\) Feed \(icrt-idtf.com\)](https://www.icrt-idtf.com)

APPENDIX 2

AIC Contaminant Sensitive List

Before handling any products contained within the contaminant sensitive list, TASCC participants must check legislation and customer terms and conditions.

If a TASCC participant has any doubts over an unfamiliar product before transporting or storing, they must obtain a Product Specification Sheet (detailed description) and send to AIC for further clarification. The recording of the carriage of goods must not use generic terms.

1 PRESSURE CLEANING/SANITISING

Vehicles load carrying areas (See H7) must be pressure cleaned with a correctly diluted hot (70-80C) solution of a combined sanitiser suitable for use on food/feed contact surfaces after they have carried the products listed below. The vehicle load carrying area must be drained and dry before re-use for other loads. Proof will be required to be given that appropriate cleaning operations have been undertaken and they must be recorded on the consignment note of a subsequent load.

<p>Permitted Category 3 Processed animal proteins produced in accordance with Regulation No EU 1069/2009 and Regulation No EU 142/2011</p> <p>Before transporting any Category 3 Processed Animal proteins, TASCC participants are advised to check legal and customer requirements.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • milk, milk-based products, milk-derived products, colostrum and colostrum products • eggs and egg products • collagen and gelatine of non-ruminant origin • blood products derived from non-ruminants for feeding to farmed non-ruminants in accordance with Regulation No EU 999/2001 as amended; • hydrolysed proteins derived from parts of non-ruminants, or ruminant hides and skins; • dicalcium phosphate and tricalcium phosphate of animal origin derived from non-ruminants for feeding to farmed non-ruminants in accordance with Regulation No EU 999/2001 as amended; • Fishmeal; • Processed animal proteins derived from farmed insects in accordance with Regulation No EU 999/2001 as amended.
<p>Category 3 animal fats and oils (including Tallows)</p>	<p>Processed in accordance with Regulation No EU 1069/2009 and Regulation No EU 142/2011</p> <p>Before transporting any Category 3 animal fats and oils (including Tallows), TASCC participants are advised to check legal and customer requirements.</p>
<p>Vegetable food factory Used Cooking Oils (UCO)</p>	<p>Before transporting any used cooking oils, TASCC participants are advised to check legislation and customer requirements.</p>
<p>Any product known to be salmonella positive</p>	

Food stuffs of vegetable origin considered unsuitable for human consumption	Food stuffs of vegetable origin with perceivable signs of decay
Packaging and parts of packaging from products used in agriculture or the food industry	
Silage	Produced exclusively for feeding animals
Strong smelling materials	excluding fishmeals (see 7 – Fishmeal) – Strong smelling materials should normally be carried in dedicated vehicles which are not used for transporting other goods, because cross-contamination or taint of subsequent loads can lead to rejection and substantial claims for which the haulier may be held liable.

NB: Hauliers may find that some customers may not accept goods in vehicles which have carried these materials.

2 WASHING / BRUSHING / VACUUMING

Proof will be required to be given that appropriate cleaning operations have been undertaken when the following materials have been carried prior to the carriage of goods covered by this Standard. In most cases where the material is dry thorough brushing or vacuuming will be sufficient. However if the material is caked or damp, washing will be necessary.

Rubber bedding	Clean and un-used, including playground and arena mixes
Coal/fly ash/coal by-products	Before delivering or collecting Oil Seed Rape, check with the customer the correct cleaning regime. Ash may contain Mammalian Protein and would be classified as Forbidden Material.
Fertiliser	Fertiliser may contain Mammalian Protein and would be classified as Forbidden Material
First time quarried aggregates	Including stone/sand. First time quarried indicates clean and free from contamination not including, for example, bitumous or recycled products (see exclusion list)
Medicated feed products	
New tyres	
Peat	
Screened top soil	For example, top soil from sugar beet factories
Salt	Important to check end customers terms and conditions, salt is not permitted or specific cleaning requirements are required by some customers

Root crops and fruit	
Untreated wood, sawdust or other materials derived from wood	

3 MOIST CO-PRODUCTS

Vehicles that carry moist co-products must be clean and have any excess moisture removed before loading.

Vehicles used for the delivery of moist co-products must be cleaned and sanitised with a food grade sanitiser every three weeks as a minimum. This cleaning must include load carrying areas and the sheet inside and out.

Vehicles that carry moist co-products must be washed/brushed/dried before carrying dry products.

4 INFESTED PRODUCTS

Vehicles including the sheet which have carried infested products must be thoroughly steam cleaned. The vehicle's load carrying area and sheet must be drained and dry before re-use for other loads. Proof will be required to be given that appropriate cleaning operations have been undertaken and they must be recorded on the consignment note of a subsequent load.

5 MATERIALS CAUSING ALLERGIC REACTIONS

EU legislation (Directive 2007/68/EC) identifies several groups of materials as causing allergic reactions in some people. In certain cases these reactions can cause severe anaphylactic shock, which can be fatal.

Participants must check and comply with individual customers policies/requirements/terms and conditions before handling any of the following products:

- Crustacean and products thereof
- Eggs and products thereof
- Fish and products thereof
- Peanuts and products thereof
- Milk and products thereof
- Nuts

i.e. Almond (*Amygdalus communis* L.), Hazelnut (*Corylus avellana*), Walnut (*Juglans regia*), Cashew (*Anacardium occidentale*), Pecan (*Carya illinoensis* (Wangenh.) K. Koch), Brazil (*Bertholletia excelsa*), Pistachio (*Pistacia vera*), Macadamia/Queensland (*Macadamia ternifolia*) and products thereof.

For example, Peanuts, Nuts and Sesame Seeds can be found in products such as confectionary waste biscuit meal, animal feed blends, chocolate bars, cereal bars and some bread products. Be aware that products described as nuts (e.g. pelletised products) should not be confused with nuts.

- Celery and products thereof
- Mustard and products thereof
- Sesame seeds and products thereof
- Sulphur dioxide and sulphites at concentrations of more than 10mg/kg or 10mg/litre expressed as SO₂
- Lupin seeds and products thereof
- Molluscs and products thereof

(Cereals containing gluten (i.e. wheat, rye, barley, oats, spelt, kamut and their hybridized strains) and Soya are also identified in EU legislation as causing allergic reaction)

6 ORGANIC AND GENETICALLY MODIFIED GOODS

6.1 Organic Goods

Hauliers must check individual companies' policies before carrying organic goods.

6.2 Genetically Modified Goods

Hauliers must check individual companies' policies before carrying genetically modified goods.

7 FISHMEAL/FISH OIL

Only fishmeal/fish oil which has been produced in plants authorised by the competent authority, is permitted to be carried under this Standard.

(NB: Attitudes towards and acceptance of fishmeal differ between end-user companies. Hauliers must check individual companies' policies before carrying this commodity).

If a vehicle is used for the transport of fishmeal and is subsequently used for the transport of other goods intended for:-

- **Non ruminant animal feed materials or finished feeds** - It must be thoroughly cleaned, in accordance with section 2 of this list and inspected before and after the transport of the fishmeal.
- **All other purposes** - It must be thoroughly cleaned and sanitised, in accordance with section 1 of this list and inspected after the transport of the fishmeal. This is particularly important where the goods may be used for human consumption.

8 NATURALLY OCCURRING PROHIBITED SUBSTANCES (NOPS)

Naturally Occurring Prohibited Substances (NOPS) are defined as "either naturally present within certain feed ingredients or occur as a result of inadvertent cross contamination during growing (as weed seeds) or processing, and are listed in the BETA NOPS Scheme".

Examples of materials that NOPS are commonly found in include bakery and biscuit products, confectionary and poppies (seeds, heads and straw). The NOPS Scheme aims to reduce the risk of contamination of horse feed from NOPS at every stage of the supply chain, from field to finished product. Hauliers must confirm the compatibility of previous loads transported with their customer to meet the requirements of BETA customers regarding NOPS.

Further details can be found from BETA – <http://www.beta-uk.org/pages/feed-safety/beta-nops-scheme.php>